IN THE UNITEDITATE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: OSAMURA et al.

Serial No.: 10/617,297

Filed: July 11, 2003

Title: POWER SUPPLY CIRCUIT WITH CONTROL OF RISE CHARACTERISTICS

OF OUTPUT VOLTAGE

Atty. Dkt.: 11-170

Art Unit: 2816

Examiner: NGUYEN, MINH T

Patent No.: US 7,049,879

Date of Patent: May 23, 2006

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22314

Date: July 27, 2006

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56, the references listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 are being submitted without any admission that they constitute statutory prior art, or without any admission that they contain subject matter that anticipates the invention or renders the invention obvious to a person of ordinary skill in the art.

Please note that the reference JP-A-H10-271680 was already submitted in an Information Disclosure Statement filed on July 11, 2003 and the reference JP-A-H10-136112 was submitted in an Information Disclosure Statement filed on April 27, 2006.

As the above-identified patent application has been issued on May 23, 2006, it is respectfully requested that the references identified on the attached Form PTO-1449 be placed in the application file without being considered by the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

David G. Posz Reg. No. 37,701

Posz Law Group, PLC 12040 South Lakes Drive, Suite 101 Reston, VA 20191 (703) 707-9110 (phone) Customer No. 23400

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

TRANSLATION

	T							TIGE (BETTION			
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	YES		NO Eng. Abstract	
-	+							-		Austract	
		JP-A-H10-333760	12/18/98	JAPAN						X	
		JP-A-H04-197100	07/16/92	JAPAN						Х	
										i	

* Full English text is available in machine-translated form in JPO (Japanese Patent Office) English language web site at http://www1.ipdl.jpo.go.jp/PA1/cgi-bin/PA1INDEX.

OTHER REFERENCES (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

	Office Action and its translation from Japanese Patent Office dated April 11, 2006.		
EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED		

Rev. 10/94 (Form 3.05)